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SUBJECT: 31ST UNGA - NORWAY'S PLENARY ADDRESS IN THE GENERAL  
DEBATE

1. NORWAY'S FOREIGN MINISTER FRYDENLUND SAID THAT INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS SHOULD BE APPROACHED WITH CONCERN FOR PEOPLE. HE DECLARED THAT UNIVERSAL HUMAN RIGHTS COVENANTS MUST BE ACCEPTED BY ALL STATES AND SUPPORTED THE PROPOSED CREATION OF A HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS.

2. RE TERRORISM, HE SUGGESTED IT WAS "MORE PRODUCTIVE TO SEEK PARTIAL SOLUTIONS AIMED AT PROTECTING INNOCENT VICTIMS" AND UNDERLINED GON'S SUPPORT OF THE FRG PROPOSAL ON HOSTAGES.

3. ON AFRICA, FRYDENLUND EMPHASIZED THE NORDIC COUNCIL PROGRAM AIMED AT "STEPPING UP SUPPORT FOR LIBERATION MOVEMENTS OF SOUTHERN AFRICA WITH PARALLEL EFFORTS TO ISOLATE FURTHER THE WHITE MAJORITY REGIMES." NOTING "THE LAST-MINUTE AMERICAN INITIATIVE" AND EFFORTS "WE ARE FOLLOWING WITH EXPECTATIONS AND ANXIETY," FRYDENLUND STRESSED THE "SPECIAL RESPONSIBILITY OF THE BIG POWERS" AND VITAL IMPORTANCE THAT SOUTHERN AFRICA'S PROBLEMS NOT BE MADE PART OF EAST-WEST CONFLICT."

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4. ON ECONOMIC QUESTIONS, HE SAW UNCTAD-IV AS "A SIGNIFICANT STEP FORWARD" AND UNDERLINED IMPORTANCE OF "IMPLEMENTING THE MAIN PRINCIPLES OF AN INTEGRATED PROGRAMME FOR COMMODITIES AS INTENDED, IN WHICH A COMMON FUND REMAINS A MAIN ELEMENT."

5. ON LOS, FREYDENLUND SAID PROBLEMS OF INTERNATIONAL SEABED MUST BE APPROACHED IN A "BROADER PERSPECTIVE THAN BEFORE" IN EFFORT TO REACH "UNIVERSALLY-ACCEPTABLE AGREEMENT."

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